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Inventor application of: Brian J. Roberts and David B. Petch

Serial No.: 09/738,234

Examiner: Clark F. Dexter

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Group No.: 3724

For: COUNTER TOP TICKET DISPENSER, DISPLAY, AND WRITING STAND (as amended)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

2. ☒ Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.☐ Enclosed is a verified statement to establish small entity status.☐ Other Than a Small Entity.

3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL	*8	MINUS	**14	0	x 9	\$0	x18	\$
INDEP.	*1	MINUS	***4	0	x42	\$0	x84	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+140	\$	+280	\$
					TOTAL FEE	\$0	TOTAL FEE	\$

* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

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☒ No additional fee for claims is required.☐ Total fee for claims required \$_____.

4. Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____.

☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$_____. A
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5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

- (a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<u> </u> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<u> </u> two months	\$ 410.00	\$ 205.00
<u> X </u> three months	\$ 930.00	\$ 465.00
<u> </u> four months	\$1,450.00	\$ 725.00
<u> </u> five months	\$1,970.00	\$ 985.00

Fee: \$ 465.00

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

 An extension for months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of
 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now
requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 465.00.

OR (b)

 Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional
petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently
overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

 X If any additional fee for claims or extension is required, charge Acct. No. 23-3000.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002.

In the Claims: ✓

Please add the following new claims 41 through 44:

41.(NEW) A dispenser structure as in Claim 26 wherein said front cover has an arcuate portion for guiding said tickets towards said outlet.

42.(NEW) A dispenser structure as in Claim 26 wherein said transparent portion is arcuate for guiding said tickets towards said outlet.

43.(NEW) A dispenser structure as in Claim 27 wherein said transparent portion is arcuate.

44.(NEW) A dispenser structure as in Claim 26 wherein said housing is mounted on said counter top.

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